

Appl. No. 10/523,891; Docket No. NL02 0720US
Amdt. dated February 8, 2006
Reply to Office Action of January 11, 2006

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-4 are pending in the application. Applicants appreciate Examiner's acknowledgment of allowable subject matter in claims 2-4.

Drawings are objected to under 37 CFR 1.83(a). Replacement drawing sheets have been included in response to the Examiner's objections. Notations have been added to FIG. 1 and FIG. 2 to clarify the oscillator outputs and inputs to the pseudo random sequence generator. Notation "Prior Art" has been added to FIG. 4.

Applicant appreciates the Office Action's suggestion to add section headings to the Specification but respectfully declines the invitation. As noted in the Office Action and also in MPEP § 608.01(a) the suggested section headings are merely preferred and not required. Thus, no amendments to the disclosure have been presented.

Claim 1 is rejected under §102(b) as being anticipated by *Nordholt et al* (US 4,608,544)

Claim 1 has been cancelled. Claim 2 has been amended to include elements of claim 1. In that claim 1 has been cancelled, the rejection is now moot.

Conclusion

Applicants believe they have addressed all of the Examiner's concerns. In that the claims are allowable, a Notice of Allowance is earnestly requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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